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AMENDMENT OFFERED BY MR. ^S FURSE
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Bill no.	TH 10
Amendment no.	10
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Page 125, after line 19, insert the following (and re-designate the succeeding subsections accordingly):

- 1 (c) **EXTENDING 6-MONTH INITIAL ENROLLMENT I%-**
 2 **RIOD TO NON-ELDERLY MEDICARE BENEFICIARIES.—**
 3 Section 1882(s)(2)(A)(ii) (42 U.S.C. 1395ss(s)(2)(A)) is
 4 amended by striking “is submitted” and all that follows
 5 and inserting the following: “is submitted—
 6 “(I) before the end of the 6-month period be-
 7 ginning with the first month as of the first day on
 8 which the individual is 65 years of age or older and
 9 is enrolled for benefits under part B; and
 10 “(II) for each time the individual becomes eligi-
 11 ble for benefits under part A pursuant to section
 12 226(b) or 2268 and is enrolled for benefits under
 13 part B, before the end of the 6-month period begin-
 14 ning with the first month as of the first day on
 15 which the individual is so eligible and so enrolled.”.

Page 125, after line 25, insert the following:

- 16 (3) **EXTENSION OF ENROLLMENT PERIOD TO**
 17 **DISABLED INDIVIDUALS.—**
 18 (A) **IN GENERAL.—**The amendment made
 19 by subsection (c) shall take effect on the first

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1 day of the first month beginning at least 60
2 days after the date of the enactment of this
3 Act.

4 (B) TRANSITION RULE.—In the case of an
5 individual who first became eligible for benefits
6 under part A of title XVIII of the Social Secu-
7 rity Act pursuant to section 226(h) or 226A of
8 such Act and enrolled for benefits under part B
9 of such title before the date specified in sub-
10 paragraph (A), the 6-month period described in
11 section 1882(s)(2)(A) of such Act shall begin
12 on such date. Before such date, the Secretary
13 of Health and Human Services shall notify any
14 individual described in the previous sentence of
15 their rights in connection with medicare supple-
16 mental policies under section 1882 of such Act,
17 by reason of the amendment made by sub-
18 section (c).